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DATABASE ADMINISTRATION

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| TITLE: Availability of DB-AID |
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| Purpose |
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To announce the availability of the program product 'DB-AID' by McCaulay and Associates, Inc.

| Description |
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DB-AID is a software product that enables IDMS users to dynamically build JCL code to execute application related IDMS function from ISPF panels. DB-AID panels are supported by Database Administration.

| Operation |
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DB-AID is installed as an option on TSO/ISPF Primary Option Menu. To access DB-AID enter 'OHF'. When this option is selected for the first time, the DB-AID welcome screen is displayed. This screen is followed by one more screen requesting parameter information. This information is then saved in the user's profile. These parameters may be changed any time by selecting 'User system defaults' from the main menu of DB-AID.

DB-AID is organized into three major sections: Applications Development, Database Administration and operations. The DBA and Operations menus are password_protected and is for DBA staff and ISD Operations use only.

The JCL created can be saved and modified before submitting the job. Refer to the HELP screen for more details.

More options may be added to the Applications Development menu. Contact Database Section for more information.

KEYWORDS: